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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that the following references, which are also listed on the attached form, be made of record in the above-identified case.

1. PCT International Publication No. WO 2005/000325 A2, published January 6, 2005;
2. PCT International Publication No. WO 01/37850 A2, published May 31, 2001;

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3. German Patent Application Publication No. 102 33 229 A1, published February 12, 2004, including Abstract in English of PCT International Publication No. WO 2004/009070 A1, published January 29 2004; and
4. Yu-Jin Kim et al., *Purification and characterization of human caseinomacropeptide produced by a recombinant Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, 41 PROTEIN EXPRESSION & PURIFICATION 441 (2005).

Applicants are submitting copies of the above-cited references required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(i) and (ii). Applicants note that reference number 1 was cited in a corresponding European case. Applicants further note that reference number 2 and German Patent Application Publication No. 102 33 229 A1 were cited in a corresponding German case.

Inasmuch as this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted in accordance with the schedule set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (p), Applicants authorize to charge deposit account 19-1013/SSMP the requisite fee.

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